

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Abe et al.	)	Examiner: Fischer
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Application No.: 10/690,778	)	Art Unit: 3621
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For: <b>CONFIDENTIAL FRAUD DETECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD</b>		

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Commissioner For Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

Sir:

The Restriction/Election Requirement dated 12/11/2007 included a typo that left claims 19 and 20 out of Group 1. Accordingly, Applicant hereby notes and elects claims 1-20 and 35-37, which corresponds to species A, Group 1.

Respectfully submitted,

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